

(DAWAH MANUAL)

HOW TO DEAL WITH COMMON QUESTIONS ASKED BY NON-MUSLIMS?

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E-MISCONCEPTION ABOUT ISLAM

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- Woman is man's firm.
- Muhammad has copied a large part of the old testament ...then said Jesus didn't die
- When Mohammad smashed 360 idols in Kaaba when he conquered Mecca, didn't he "offend" the pagan worshipers of those idols?

E-WHY MUSLIM WOMAN WEAR HEAD SCARF (HIJAB)?

❑ **Answer to a Non-Muslim woman:**

❑ **1-What is Hijab:** Hijab in Islam does not mean just a scarf on woman's head. It is a modest way of wearing. The Muslim woman shall wear modest.

✓ Hijab is not an Islamic novelty (Fad). You can see the photo of **Marry** (mother of Jesus) wearing the Hijab.

❑ 2-But the Question is: **What is the wisdom behind it?** Why Muslim woman shall cover up?

✓ Simply, Hijab is a sign of Muslim woman. She wants to identify herself as a Muslim woman. She wants everyone to know that she is a Muslim woman. Through it, she sends a message to anyone see her that :**“I am a Muslim woman, I don't date any man, I don't let any man touch me, my beauty is not for every man, my beauty is only for the man who I chose (My husband), I am not a toy, SO DON'T PLAY WITH ME”**.

○ **3-A-Hijab protects woman:**

✓ FROM lustful men who want to be pleased by the beauty of women without marriage or any responsibility, they treat the woman like a commodity to just satisfy their desires.

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○ **3-B-Hijab protect woman from Female Exploitation:**

○ Since the beginning of time, women have always been exploited. women are often used as mere objects to attract men or sell products and services.

○ **3- C-Hijab protect family:**

○ *Hijab* contributes to the stability and preservation of marriage and family by eliminating the chances of extramarital affairs.

○ 4-Finally, it compels men to focus on the real personality of the woman and de-emphasizes her physical beauty. Muslim woman wear Hijab to please Allah, not to please men.

○ 5-Most importantly, Muslim woman wear Hijab to please her God.

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❑ **Answer to a Non-Muslim man:**

- ✓ 1-What is Hijab 2-What do you prefer 3- so precious 4- please her God
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- ✓ Hijab is not an Islamic novelty (Fad). You can see the photo of Marry (mother of Jesus) wearing the Hijab.
- ✓ 2- If I offer you 2 candies , one is covered and the second is exposed, what do you prefer to take?
- ✓ I think that I prefer to marry a woman that I am the first love for her.
- ✓ 3- Do you agree with me that if I asked you to show me your money, your diamonds, or your pin code, You wouldn't accept, right?
- ✓ Because those are a precious things to you, no one can see it...Muslim woman are more precious than our diamonds and our money.
- ✓ 4-Most importantly, Muslim woman wear Hijab to please her God.
- ✓ 5-The concept of sincerity (loyalty) in Islam between a woman and her husband does not mean only that the wife don't make sexual intercourse with other man, rather, she don't let any man touch her, nor see her beauty, her beauty is for husband only.

❑ **Notes:**

E-WHY MEN DON'T WEAR HIJAB LIKE WOMAN?

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- ❑ Simply, because they are not physically the same, nor sexually the same.
- ❑ God create the woman (her body) attractive to the man with her physical appearance... for that reason God ask her to be modest by wearing Hijab and cover her beauty except to the man whom she loves...her husband .

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****E-SO WHAT ABOUT NIQAB?**

- Niqab is a way of wearing more modest. it is not an obligation in Islam, but some Muslim women wear it to be more modest to be more pleased to Allah, and get more reward.

E- WHEN ISLAM IS AGAINST IDOL WORSHIP WHY DO THE MUSLIMS WORSHIP, AND BOW DOWN TO THE KAABA IN THEIR PRAYER?

❑ **1-Flip the question:** Do you know “where” did Muslims direct during praying before the Kaaba?

❑ *(Let him answer...)*

You: They pray toward Jerusalem in Palestine. 😊
So, simply, the Kaaba is not an object we worship or an intermediary between us and God. It is just a direction, a focal point which all Muslims shall face during prayer.

Which called “**Qibla**” in Arabic.

As the Jerusalem was the former direction “**Qibla**” for Muslims.



The former Qiblah of Islam pointed towards the Temple Mount in Jerusalem where now stands the Al-Aqsa Mosque

❑ **2-The Kaaba is a mosque** we pray inside. 😊

Did you see before idol worshipper pray inside he idol he worship?

❑ **3- People stood on Kaaba and gave the adhaan**

At the time of the Prophet, people even stood on the Kaaba and gave the ‘Adhaan’ or the call to prayer. One may ask those who allege that Muslims worship the Kaaba; **Did you see before idol worshipper stands on the idol he worships?**

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❑ **4- unite Muslims :**

- ✓ Muslims all praying towards the same point is considered to symbolize **the unity of all Muslims worldwide**.
- ✓ For instance, if Muslims want to offer Salaah (Prayer), it is possible that some may wish to face north, while some may wish to face south. In order to unite Muslims in their worship of the One True God, Muslims, wherever they may be, are asked to face in only one direction i.e. towards the Kaaba.

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E- YOU SAY WOMEN ARE EQUAL TO MEN ,
THEN WHY 25 MESSENGER MENTIONED IN
QURAN NO FEMALES ARE INCLUDED ?

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- ❑ Messenger is prophet given responsibility to deliver message to some people .
- ❑ Allah didn't make women messengers not to be raped & to protect her as many messenger were killed and burnt by their people .

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WHY BRUTAL PUNISHMENTS IN ISLAM?

(قسوة الحدود فى الاسلام)

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E-NON-MUSLIM :THIS IS MY IMPRESSION ABOUT
ISLAM, DEATH SENTENCE FOR BISEXUALITY, IS
THIS THE RELIGION OF PEACE?!!



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❑ 1- Islam is not the only religion which stone the Adulterer or the Gay:

✓ The stoning exist in the old testament- Deuteronomy 22:23

“ If a man happens to meet in a town a virgin pledged to be married and he sleeps with her, you shall take both of them to the gate of that town and stone them to death”

❑ 2- Is homosexuality something good?

✓ May I ask you a question? How do you like bisexuality? Do you find it something good or bad???

(let him answer....)

In other words, Do you like that your daughter be lesbian, or your son become gay and marry a man, then they adopt a children!! will you be glade when you see you mother fornicate on a nude beach in front of you?! Or your whole family is bisexual?

What if your entire society is like that? The army of your country?

That's an awful disease, Islam has the solution for.

He answer: she is free to do what ever she wants.

Muslim: I know, John, she is free, **but you like that, you will be happy?**

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3-Disadvantages of homosexuality:

3A- Physiological disadvantages:

Clinical social worker Caitlin Ryan's Family Acceptance Project ([California State University, San Francisco](http://www.familyacceptanceproject.org/))

✓ Their research shows that LGBT youths "who experience high levels of **rejection** from their families during adolescence (due to their sexual orientation) were more than 8 times likely to have attempted **suicide**, more than 6 times likely to report high levels of **depression**, more than 3 times likely to use illegal **drugs** and more than 3 times likely to be at high risk for **HIV/AIDS**.

✓ Approximately 28% of gay and lesbian youth drop out of high school because of discomfort (due to verbal and physical abuse) in the school environment.

✓ Approximately 40% of homeless youth are identified as gay, lesbian or bisexual.

❑ 3B-healthy disadvantages:

✓ Prevalence of **HIV**

✓ In 2008, men who have sex with men (MSM) accounted for 63% of primary and secondary syphilis(الزُهري) cases in the United States.

✓ Gay and bisexual men can be infected with **HPV** (Human Papillomavirus) (فيروس الورم الحليمي), the most common STD (Sexually Transmitted Disease) in the United States. Some types of HPV cause genital and anal warts and some can lead to the development of anal and oral cancer.

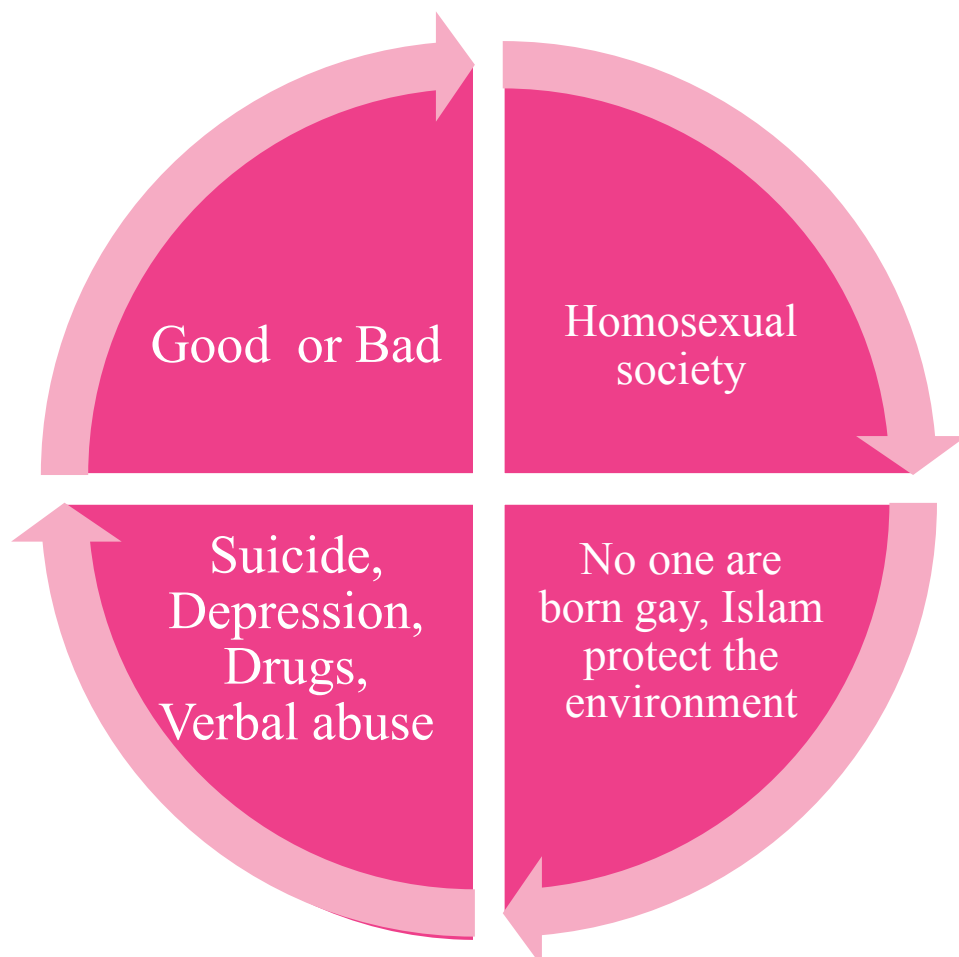
✓ <http://www.cdc.gov/msmhealth/STD.htm>

✓ <http://www.cdc.gov/msmhealth/STD-syphilis-graph.htm>

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❑ **4-Protecting the society:**

- ✓ According to the mentioned disadvantages of the homosexuality, I think that you agree that God must protect the society. Right?
- ✓ Actually, no one was born bisexual. Islam wants to keep the society clean for our children ... Islam put this harsh punishment just to deter anyone trying to seduce our people.



E- NON MUSLIM: “THE PUNISHMENT OF SOMEONE WHO ENJOY HIS FREE SEXUAL RELATION IS A SAVAGERY”

-WHY HARSH PUNISHMENT FOR ADULTERER?

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❑ 1-Islam is not the only religion that stones the Adulterer:

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- ✓ The stoning exists in the old testament- Deuteronomy 22:23
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- ✓ **Leviticus :10** ““If a man commits adultery with another man’s wife—with the wife of his neighbor—both the adulterer and the adulteress are to be put to death.
- ✓ Islam is not a new religion. God commands the stoning in the Bible and in the Quran.

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❑ 2-What do you think about fornication? Is it something good?

❑ 2a-Children without father:

In other words, what do you think about : 15 million children, or 1 out of 3, in USA , live without a father!! (Washington times)

The father has just take his desire from the woman then he simply abandon her with her children. Moreover, sometime the mother herself doesn't know who is the father of her son!!

<http://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2012/dec/25/fathers-disappear-from-households-across-america/?page=all>

❑ 2b-What do you think about extramarital affairs?

- ✓ It is estimated that roughly 30 to 60% of all married individuals (in the United States) will engage in infidelity at some point during their marriage (see, Buss and Shackelford for review of this research). Most of this cases end up by **divorce**.

- ✓ <http://www.truthaboutdeception.com/cheating-and-infidelity/stats-about-infidelity.html>

- ✓ Perhaps extramarital liaisons are more common among the young, because they haven't been married long, and they may be more used **to multiple sexual partners, (adultery)**.

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❑ 2c-Divorce:

- ✓ Psychologist John Gottman's research indicates that couples divorce for two basic reasons: 1-They lost their friendship because they couldn't solve their conflict. 2-Another key cause is **ADULTERY**, with an estimated one quarter of all marriages dissolving for this reason.

- ✓ <http://chinnsonger.com/mae-chinn-songer/top-reasons-for-divorce-in-the-united-states/>

❑ 2D- Abortion:

- ✓ What do you think about **abortion** of thousands of babies every year?
- ✓ According to the **Guttmacher Institute**, the overall number of abortions in USA, is 1.1 million in 2011! One of the main reasons that the woman did not want to be a single mother or was having relationship problems (48%).

- ✓ http://www.guttmacher.org/pubs/fb_induced_abortion.html

❑ 2E- Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs)

- ✓ What do you think about tens of **Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs)** in USA.
- ✓ Chlamydia, Gonorrhea, Hepatitis, Viral ,Herpes, Genital

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- <http://www.cdc.gov/std/default.htm> (center of Diseases control and prevention in USA)
- This site show **the Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs)** in USA.
- ✓ Chlamydia, Gonorrhea, Hepatitis, Viral ,Herpes, Genital
- ✓ Bacterial Vaginosis (BV), HIV/AIDS & STDs
- ✓ Human Papillomavirus (HPV), Pelvic Inflammatory Disease (PID), Syphilis, Trichomoniasis.
- The site clarifies how those Diseases are prevalent in USA:
- **Chlamydia**
- ✓ In 2011, a total of 1,412,791 cases of Chlamydia trachomatis infection were reported to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
- **Gonorrhea (مرض السيلان)**
- ✓ In 2011 there was another 4.0% increase with a total of 321,849 cases of gonorrhea reported in the United States, corresponding to a rate of 104.2 cases per 100,000 population.
- **Syphilis (الزهري):**
- P&S syphilis cases reported to CDC increased from 13,774 in 2010 to 13,970 in 2011,

❑ **3- Protect the society:**

- ❑ According to the mentioned disadvantages, I think that you agree that God must protect the society. Right?
- ❑ Islam has placed great emphasis on protecting and safeguarding the family. It is in fact the structure on which the well being of society rests.
- ✓ There is also great emphasis laid on a public display of morality.
- ✓ when evil and sins begin to be practiced openly then people imagine that this act is not really that bad, because others are doing it. As a result, the crime becomes more widespread and rapid vortex of moral decline occurs with the ultimate disintegration of society.
- ✓ Islam forbids spying and seeking out of faults, but when sins are committed openly it contains a crime against the and an affront to the good ordering of society. Such crimes thus need suitable and effective punishments that act as a sever warning to others. **A public crime deserves a public punishment.**
- ✓ The death of two criminals can prevent the death and agony of many innocents. There is no doubt that adultery has caused many a jilted partner to kill not only the partner but in some instances the children as well.

- ❑ **4- Protect woman:** Allah Almighty forbid fornication to protect woman from lustful men who want to be pleased by the beauty of women without marriage or any responsibility, they treat the woman like a commodity to just satisfy their desires.

E- WHY ISLAM FORBID EATING PORK?

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❑ 1-Allah Almighty forbids every impure and harmful things.

- ✓ Allah said about prophet Mohammed :“ he commands them what is just and forbids them what is evil; he allows them as lawful what is good (and pure) and prohibits them from what is bad **(and impure)**”

❑ 2- Islam is not the only religion who forbids Pork :

- ✓ Pork is also prohibited in the Bible in the book of **Deuteronomy**

"And the swine, because it divideth the hoof, yet cheweth not the cud, it is unclean unto you. Ye shall not eat of their flesh, nor touch their dead carcass."

[Deuteronomy 14:8]

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□ 3- Disadvantages :

○ Dr. Josh Axe” on September 27, 2010 state: (Important)

- ✓ The Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) states that more than 100 viruses come to the United States each year from China through pigs. There are some obvious concerns about this.
- ✓ Of course, you’re probably familiar with H1N1, better known as ‘the swine flu.’ This too is a virus that has made the leap from pig to human.
- ✓ The CDC recommends thorough cooking of pork as well as freezing the pork meat prior to cooking to kill off any worms. **I don’t know about you, but I don’t feel good about eating anything that I first have to kill off its worms to eat ☺**
- <http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/ss5809a1.htm>
- ✓ Trichinellosis is a reportable disease in 48 states and has been a nationally notifiable disease since 1966
- ✓ The median number of cases reported annually was 393 during 1947-1951
- ✓ Historically, the majority of cases of trichinellosis in the United States have been caused by consumption of *Trichinella*-infected pork

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□ Notes:

E-Why Alcohol is prohibited in Islam?

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- ❑ 1- Firstly, I think that you agree with me that it is not good to lose my mind and look idiot and makes follies or kills someone by my car?! (many intoxicated people urinate their bed after drinking!!) That's awful.
- ✓ “I cant ever drink without peeing the bed..and I'm 21!!”,an alcohol addicted says.
- ✓ My mind is the most precious thing I have, I have to respect myself.
- ✓ Please watch this video:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eMjml4K_mwE

- ❑ **2- In the United States**, it was a nationwide ban on the sale, production, importation, and transportation of alcoholic beverages that remained in place from 1920 to 1933.

- ✓ May you please tell me why they ban it?
Surely because they admit its disadvantages.



Removal of liquor during prohibition.

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(reference: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Prohibition_in_the_United_States)

3- Its influence on society:

(Statistics): in USA

- ✓ In 2010 ,over 1.4 million drivers were arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol.(Bergen G. Shults RA. Rudd RA. (October 4, 2011)
- ✓ In 2010, 10,228 people were killed in alcohol-impaired driving crashes.(National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA)
- ✓ Federal research shows that for the 40% of convicted murderers being held in jail, alcohol use was a factor in the homicide. (National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence)
- ✓ Alcohol is more likely to be a factor in violence, where the attacker and the victim know each other. Two-thirds of victims who were attacked by an intimate (including a current or former spouse, boyfriend) reported that alcohol had been involved.
- ✓ **Men and women suffer. Children suffer. Families suffer. Loved ones suffer. People get killed. Alcohol and Crime go hand in hand. It's simply a fact.**

4- Health damages:

- ✓ Excessive drinking both in the form of heavy drinking or binge drinking, is associated with numerous health problems, including:
Chronic diseases such as liver cirrhosis (damage to liver cells); pancreatitis (inflammation of the pancreas); various cancers, including liver, mouth, throat, larynx (the voice box), and esophagus; high blood pressure; and psychological disorders.
- ✓ Around 2500 Australians are treated annually for alcohol related brain damage.
- ✓ Reference : <http://www.cdc.gov/alcohol/faqs.htm>
- ✓ Islam protect the society

□ Notes:

***D-WHY DO YOU CONSIDER WINE HARMFUL, I CAN CONTROL MYSELF BY DRINKING A LITTLE BIT?**

- CAN I DRINK A LITTLE BIT OF WINE?

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- ❑ A lot of people say that they can control the amount of alcohol they consume, but eventually they may injure or kill someone including himself, in a car accident.

Our life and the life of others should be more precious than our desires.

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D-BUT THERE ARE MANY BENEFITS OF WINE. I NEED TO DRINK IT

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- ❑ **1-Agreement:** You are right, there is many benefits of wine, the Quran itself states that.
- ✓ Allah said: “ They ask you about wine and gambling. Say, "In them is great sin and [yet, some] benefit for people. But their sin is greater than their benefit” [2:219]
 - ✓ Which mean ,that in fact, the wine have some benefits but the disadvantages (Sin) is greater.
- ❑ **2-Nothing is worst** than losing my mind and look idiot and makes follies or **kill** some one by my car?! My mind is the main difference between me and animals.
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E-WHY MUSLIM MEN MARRY MORE THAN ONE WIFE?

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❑ **1-It is not an obligation:**

- ✓ First, I have one wife only, my father, my brother have only one wife. Polygamy is not mandatory, nor encouraged in Islam, but merely permitted. Sadly, the Media publish that the most of Muslim men have many wives, which is not true.
- ✓ For example, the polygamy in Egypt is 4%, in Syria is 5%, in Iraq is 5%.

❑ **2-The Qur'an is the only religious book**, on the face of this earth, that contains the phrase '**marry only one**'. There is no other religious book that instructs men to have only one wife.

- ✓ Polygamy is permitted in Hinduism, and Judaism , even in the bible in the old testament ,Abraham and David have many wives, Solomon had hundreds of wives.

❑ **3-But What is the wisdom behind allowing polygamy?**

- ✓ By nature males and females are born in approximately the same ratio.
- ✓ The surplus is a result of men dying in wars, violent crimes, and accidents. The average life span of females is more than that of males, and at any given time one finds more widows in the world than widowers.

(According to Center for Health Statistics, life expectancy of women in US is 77.9 years, while for men it is only 70.3)

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- ✓ After WWII there were 7,300,000 more women than men in Germany alone

- ❑ In the USA, women outnumber men by 7.8 million. The U.S.A as whole has more than 25 million gays. This means that these people do not wish to marry women.
- ✓ Even if every man got married to one woman, there would still be more than thirty million females in U.S.A who would not be able to get husbands (considering that America has twenty five million gays).
- ✓ Now, Those unmarried women have to choose between only two options, to become a second wife or a “public property” (a mistress for a lot of men”)?
- ✓ The second wife in Islam has the same rights of the first one. The Husband must be just between them, provide her the same house, money and caring?
- **Again, What do you prefer to the woman to be a wife or a public property?**
- ✓ Sadly, many people accept that a man have many mistress but don't accept a man having many wives.
- ❑ 3-No woman can be forced into this kind of marriage if they do not wish it, and they also have the right to exclude it in their marriage contract.

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- ❑ **[You can add for non-Muslim men only]** The teachings of Islam, including polygamy, conform to human nature. Men and women differ in their desire for sexual variety. These differences are universal. Men everywhere want more sexual partners than women do. The Islamic solution provides the only responsible alternative to the naturally ingrained desire in men.
- ❑ **Non-Muslim: But God created one woman only for Adam.**
- ✓ **You:** That's right. For that reason Adam marry only one woman. Adam had no choice. If God had created several Eves, Adam would have taken them all as wives.

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E-HOW ISLAM IS THE RELIGION OF PEACE AND IT IS THE ROOT CAUSE OF TERRORISM IN THE WORLD?

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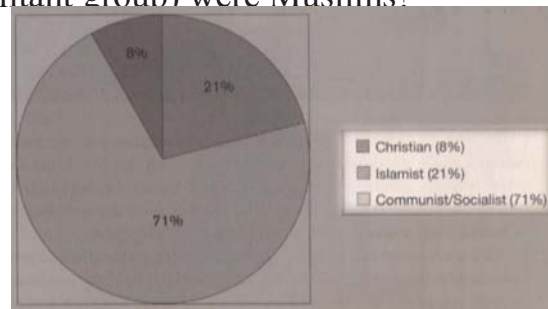
- ❑ **Are you sure** that the root cause of terrorism is Islam?
- ❑ What about “**State terrorism**” and “**Non Muslim Groups**”?
- ❑ **State terrorism:**
 - Who started the first world war? Muslims?
 - Who started the second world war? Muslims?
 - Who threw nuclear bombs on civilians on Hiroshima and Nagasaki? Muslims?
 - Who killed 100 millions of red Indians in north America? Muslims?
 - Who killed 50 millions of red Indians in south America? Muslims?
 - Who took about 180 millions of Africans as slaves and 88percent of them are killed and threw in the oceans? Muslims?
 - Hitler, Stalin, Mussolini were Muslims?
 - Abu GhouraiB and the sexual assault against Muslim captives was not terrorism?
 - Who killed Palestinian children? Muslims?
 - Who killed one million civilians in Algeria...In India? Muslims?
 - Who Killed 150,000 civilians in Afghanistan and 500,000 in Iraq? Muslims?
 - **No, They are not Muslims.**

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❑ Non Muslims terrorist groups:

- **Tamil tigers** (secular Hindu group) in Sri Lanka were Muslims?
- **PKK** (Marxist group) in **Turkey** were Muslims ?
- **The Japanese Red Army** (was a communist militant group) were Muslims?
- Irish Republican Army (**IRA**)
- **North Korea** ? Muslims?

Robert Anthony Pape, is an American political scientist known for his work on international security affairs. He shows in his famous book “**Dying to win**” that the suicide bombers in the period 1982-1986 were 71% Communist/Socialist, 21% Islamist, 8% Christian (Chapter 10).



❑ The Media:

- ❑ **Actually, there are many Non-Muslim terrorist groups but the Media just focus on Muslims to make people believe that all terrorist are Muslims.**
- ❑ In fact, such misinformation and false propaganda often leads to discrimination and acts of violence against Muslims. A case in point is the anti-Muslim campaign in the American media following the Oklahoma bomb blast, where the press was quick to declare a ‘Middle Eastern conspiracy’ behind the attack. **The culprit was later identified as a soldier from the American Armed Forces!!**

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○ What is the actual root cause of terrorism All over the world?

The scientists and the specialists show that the root cause of terrorism all over the world is two reasons: 1- foreigner occupation 2-Injustice (oppression).

1- foreigner occupation:

✓ **Dr. Robert Pape** American political science professor at Chicago university said :”When I collected every suicidal attack since 1980 until now, it is showed clearly that the principle cause of the suicidal attack is the foreigner occupation.”



- ✓ Then he clarifies: “Nearly all suicide terrorist attacks have in common is a specific **secular and strategic goal**: to compel modern democracies to withdraw military forces from territory that the terrorists consider to be their homeland. It is important that Americans understand this growing phenomenon”
- ✓ Between 1981 and 2006, 1200 suicide attacks occurred around the world, 90% of these attacks occurred in Iraq, Israel, Afghanistan, Pakistan or Sri Lanka.
- ✓ So the suicide attacks in Islamic countries are not for Islamic purpose, it is because of foreigner occupation in Iraq and Israel and Afghanistan.
- ✓ More recently, the number of suicide attacks has grown significantly, from an average 5/year in the 1980s to 180/year in 2001-2005. Robert Pape attributes over 90% of attacks prior to the Iraq Civil War (2003) to a goal of withdrawal of occupying forces.
- ✓ Pape says about El Qaeda:” With increasing knowledge of al-Qaeda, we see that “the presence of American military forces for combat operations on the homeland territory of the suicide terrorists is stronger than Islamic fundamentalism in predicting whether individuals from that country will become al-Qaeda suicide terrorists”
- ✓ Robert Pape examines other campaigns to see if the “dynamics that make religious difference important” are present in other terrorist campaigns, acknowledging the difficulty of the inquiry (126-29). He offers detailed analyses of Lebanon, Sri Lanka, the Sikhs in Punjab, and the Kurdish PKK in Turkey. His conclusion: “Religion plays a role in suicide terrorism, but mainly in the context of national resistance”

○ 2-Injustice

- ✓ Dr.Gunnar westberg (co president of IPPNW, Nobel prize 1985): “In my opinion, it is **injustice**,

humiliation and oppression are the most common cause of terrorism.”

- Sadly, No Justice...No peace.

- You can apply this point upon the situation of the Islamists in Egypt and Algeria after military coup... see this attacks as the last resort against tyrants.

These attacks were raised 10 times in Egypt after the military coup on 2013. Why do we blame Islam.



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○ Let's reason it together:

- ✓ 1-If we see a terrorist attacks made a “Muslim”, we have two possible options: 1- Muslim made that because Islam command him to kill innocent 2- He feel oppressed by tyrants or foreigner occupation. Right?
- ✓ Can you gave me one Video, only one video a Muslim justify his attacks that Islam commands us to kill Non-Muslim, then he invites all Muslims to kill all their Non-Muslim friends? If you have bring it up please.
- ✓ My friend...If the Quran commands us to kill innocent, so you are talking about 1.5 billion terrorists!!
- ✓ 1/3rd of the world is Muslim, more than 1.5 billion people. If Islam was a religion of violence there would be no one left on earth.
- ✓ 2-Let me ask you:“ Why there are Islamic attacks in USA and England , while there are no Islamic attacks against civilians in South America, south Africa, Finland, Canada, Sweden, Switzerland...There is no Quran there, there are no Muslims there??!!...

No, there are Muslims there ,but there is no humiliation against Muslims there.”

- ✓ Why there is no **suicidal Islamic** attacks before 1980 (Robert Pape-Dying to win)...there is no Quran before that date?!!!

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- ❑ **Clear example:** The last attack in England: “a Muslim men kill a British police man in the street in England”
- ✓ After the attack, one of the terrorist, his right hand covered in blood, the left brandishing a knife and a cleaver, found someone with a camera and talked into it. He justified the terrible deed as revenge for the killings of Muslims around the world!! He didn't say because God command us to kill Non-Muslim.
- *[Caution]: before mentioning that Islamist terrorism is a reaction, you MUST clarify that you condemn that simply because the prophet (PBUH) forbade that.*

- ❑ **Non-Muslim: So you support ISIS**
- ✓ **You:** I support only Islam and the prophet Mohammed PBUH.
- ✓ I am totally against any attacks against any civilians, simply because prophet (PBUH) forbade that.
- ✓ I just clarify to you that ISIS is a normal reaction for bad actions made by a tyrant (the president of Iraq)

- *Non-Muslim: Well, Explain 9/11?
- Muslim: Well, firstly You have to know that I am totally against any attacks against any civilians ,Simply because prophet(PBUH) forbad that, But Do you know how many died on 9/11?
- Non-Muslim: around 3000 person.
- Muslim: Do you know how many civilians died in Afghanistan and Iraq? 150,000 in Afghanistan and 500,000 in Iraq... Isn't that terrorism? (state terrorism)
- Non-Muslim: war on Iraq and Afghanistan are because of El Qaeda and Sadam ?
- Muslim: Whatever, It is not an excuse to kill thousands of innocent...that's terrorism.

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There is two possible reasons for the Islamic terrorism

21% Islamic
71% Not-Islamic

- The Media insist to ignore: 1-state terrorism 2- non-Muslim groups

Main reason:
1-foreigner occupation
2- injustice

- Muslims live allover the world, you will notice that the islamist terrorism is concentrated in the occupied countries and the countries which occupy it.
- Why there is no Islamic attacks to civilians in South America, south Africa, Finland, Canada, Sweden...

Islam commands Muslims to kill innocent!!

- in this case we have on this earth 1.5 billion terrorists which is unreasonable though.
- We marry non-Muslims

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مقولة جيدة توضح ماذا يحدث مع المسلمين وكيف صورهم الغرب أنهم إرهابيين:

○ "من السهل طمس الحقيقة بحيلة لغوية بسيطة: ابدأ حكايتك من (ثانيا) !
نعم هذا ما فعله رابين بكل بساطة، لقد أهمل الحديث عما جرى (أولا).

ابدأ حكايتك من (ثانيا) تصبح سهام الهنود الحمر هي الجريمة الأصلية، وبنادق البيض هي الضحية الكاملة !

يكفي أن تبدأ حكايتك من (ثانيا) حتى يصبح غضب السود على الرجل الأبيض هو الفعل الوحشي !

يكفي أن تبدأ حكايتك من (ثانيا) حتى يصبح غاندي هو المسؤول عن مآسي البريطانيين !

يكفي أن تبدأ حكايتك من (ثانيا) حتى يصبح الفيتنامي المحروق هو الذي أساء إلى إنسانية النابلم !!
وتصبح أغاني (فيكتور هارا) هي العار ، وليس رصاص (بينوشيت) الذي حصد الآلاف في استاد سانتياغو !

يكفي أن تبدأ حكايتك من (ثانيا) حتى تصبح ستي أم عطا هي الجريمة، وإرييل شارون هو ضحيتها !"
مريد البرغوثي.

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قلتُ: يكفي أن تبدأ حكايتك من (ثانيا) حتى يصبح القاتل الظالم سارق الإرادة والسلطة المدلس المستبد
حارق الجثث مفجر الأدمغة والعيون وقناصها هو الضحية المسكين الوطني ، والمقتول (أولا) هو
الإرهابي الخائن العميل !

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E-BUT WHY THE WEST JUST ATTACK MUSLIMS AND THEY DON'T ATTACK THE OTHER RELIGIONS?

- ❑ Because Islam is the fastest growing religion in the world and especially in the west...
 - ✓ CNN: **Fast-growing Islam winning converts in Western world**
<http://edition.cnn.com/WORLD/9704/14/egypt.islam/>
 - ❑ Islam changes people life.
 - ✓ Now you can see in western countries the white man with long beard wearing a white thobe... you can see in France the white woman wearing Hijab and Nikab ... in US the churches become mosques!!... in Switzerland the number of mosques increase.
- All that stimulate the concern of the west.

- ❑ They claim that they are obsessed of Muslims because they threat their life!! ... Which is not true because there is a big difference between the two armies. they are only obsessed about their cultures.
- ❑ Regarding the Buddhism or the Hinduism, they are not an active religions, their followers don't call for them ... The Buddhist don't believe in the existence of God which is something preferable to the western governments. so those religions are not a problem to the west. so the problem is with Islam.

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- ❑ Now we have two civilizations Islamic and western...
- ✓ Prof. Samuel P. Huntington (Harvard university) States in his 1993 book (*Clash of Civilizations*).
- ✓ “The underlying problem for the west is not Islamic fundamentalism. It is Islam, a different civilization whose people are convinced of the superiority of their culture and are obsessed with the inferiority of their power. The problem for Islam is not CIA or the US department of defense. It is the west, a different civilization whose people are convince of the universality of their culture, power imposes on them the obligation to impose that culture throughout the world by any means necessary, politically or militarily on the rest of the world.

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E- ISLAM WAS SPREAD BY THE SWORD

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- ❑ **1-What do you mean by spread by sword?** Do you mean that Muslims put the sword on the throats of people to embrace Islam....If YES, so please give me one example in any country.
 - ✓ But if you mean that the Muslims fight the tyrants of Romans and Persians to spread the light across the globe and rescue the people from hellfire...so I am so proud of that.
 - ✓ Muslims didn't fight the people, they fight only the army of the tyrants who prevent the light of Islam.
- ❑ **2-No one can force anyone to be Muslim**, Simply because Islam is a act of the heart.
 - ✓ Allah said:" There shall be no compulsion in [acceptance of] the religion. The right course has become clear from the wrong."
- ❑ **3- Who forced those people:**
 - ✓ **In Indonesia**, Malaysia, Nigeria, Bangladesh, Sudan and Chad... Who is the Arabic leader who conquers? **No one.**
 - ✓ **In Europe**, who force 8 million person to convert to Islam? The sword?? Islam is the fastest growing religion in the worldsimply because it makes sense.

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❑ **Who forced millions of people?**

- ❑ The first army who start to fight the Persian was 18,000 Muslims and the first army who fight the Romans was 30,000 Muslims.
- ✓ I think that you agree with me that it is **inconceivable** that 48,000 person, who initially spread Islam from Spain in the West to China in the East, can force millions of people to be members of a religion against their will.
- ✓ Furthermore, anyone accepts Islam shall participate to the Muslim Army, and he participates in the spread of Islam!! Can anyone fight for the sake of a religion he doesn't believe in!!
- ✓ The Muslim leader who spread Islam in Spain was Non-Arab; Tarek Ibn Ziad.
- ❑ **The Mongols** It is also interesting to note that when the Mongols invaded and conquered large portions of the Islamic Empire, instead of destroying the religion, they adopted it. This is a unique occurrence in history - the conquerors adopting the religion of the conquered! Since they were the victors, they certainly could not have been forced to become Muslims!

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- ❑ **4-In my country (Egypt),** the oldest and biggest church is beside the mosque built by the Arabic conquer Amer Ebn el Ass, Why didn't he destroy the church if he want to force people to convert to Islam?
- ✓ In all Muslim countries, there are many Christian, Who lives among us since hundreds of years, since Islamic conquer.
- ✓ The Muslims were also the masters of India for a thousand years, but eventually when the sub-continent received independence in 1947, the Hindus obtained three quarters of the country and the Muslims the balance of the one-quarter.
- ❑ **5- Al Jiziah,** it is the biggest evidence that Muslims didn't force non-Muslims to convert to Islam. Because Muslims gave them the choice to chose between Islam and pay Jiziah which is a tax paid to the government. By the way, the "Jiziah" is mud lesser than Zakat paid by Muslims to the same government.

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❑ **[Advanced]**

✓ **6-Beside that, are all wars evil?**

We must ask first why we fight? It is unjust to leave the oppressors prevent the light...so we have to ask firstly, is Islam the true religion of God or not?

If Islam is the truth, so I have to prevail it whatever does it cost.

But if it is not so we must not ask about the details of something we totally reject.

- **Thomas Carlyle:**

- I care little about the sword: I will allow a thing to struggle for itself in this world, with any sword or tongue or implement it has, or can lay hold of. We will let it preach, and pamphleteer, and fight, and to the uttermost bestir itself, and do, beak and claws, whatsoever is in it; very sure that it will, in the long-run, conquer nothing which does not deserve to be conquered. What is better than itself, it cannot put away, but only what is worse.

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❑ **In other words, What do you think about the French revolution?**

- ✓ The French people said: “Hang the last priest by the intestines of the last king,”
- ✓ The death toll ranged in the tens of thousands, with 16,594 executed by guillotine (2,639 in Paris), and another 25,000 in summary executions across France.
- ✓ The death of tyrants for the freedom of France cannot be considered as evil.....The same for Islam, we cannot blame Muslims on killing of tyrants for the rescue of people from hellfire.

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- ❑ The greatest crime, the greatest “sin” of Muhammad in the eyes of the Christian West is that he did not allow himself to be slaughtered, to be “crucified” by his enemies. He ably defended himself, his family and his followers; and finally vanquished his enemies. Muhammad’s success is the Christians’ gall of disappointment:
- ❑ He did not believe in any vicarious sacrifice for the sins of others. He believed and behaved naturally: “in the state of nature, every one has a right to defend his person and possessions, and extend his hostilities to a reasonable amount of satisfaction and retaliation,” says **Gibbon**, the master historian in his “Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire.” His struggle and victory over the forces of unbelief and evil made the editors of the Encyclopedia Britannica to exclaim, Muhammad to be “The most successful of all religious personalities.”

❑ What do the Historians say about this issue?

- ❑ The well known British historian **De Lacy O’Leary** says about this topic in his book “**Islam at the Crossroads**” (London, 1923, page 8): “History makes it clear however, that the legend of fanatical Muslims sweeping through the world and forcing Islam at the point of the sword upon conquered races is one of the most fantastically absurd myth that historians have ever repeated.”

❑ **Let's reason it:**

❑ **One against all?**

Carlyle said: “One man alone of the whole world believes it; there is one man against all men. That he take a sword, and try to propagate with that, will do little for him. You must first get your sword! on the whole, a thing will propagate itself as it can.

- ❑ At the age of forty when Muhammad declared his mission from heaven, there was no political party, or royalty, and certainly no family or tribe to back him up. His people - the Arabs, immersed in idol-worship and Fetishism were not by any means a docile people, they were no easy meat. They were a very volatile people. Given to internecine and fratricidal wars, subject to “all kinds of fierce sincerities”
- ❑ One man, single handed, to convince such a people required nothing short of a miracle. A miracle did happen. God alone could have made Islam and Muhammad to triumph through with weakness. God fulfilling His promise:
- ❑ “And have We not raised high the esteem in which thou O Muhammad are held?” (*Quran 94:4*)
- It is the sword of intellect. The sword that conquers the hearts and minds of people. The Qur'an says in Surah Nahl, chapter 16 verse 125:
- **“Invite (all) to the way of thy Lord with wisdom and beautiful preaching; and argue with them in ways that are best and most gracious.”[Al-Qur'an 16:125]**

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- 7-Now you admit that Muslims have spread across the globe to convey the message of Islam to all the people. They leave their families and countries to achieve their duty and convey the message of Allah, I see that is a noble journey.

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❑ **8- A question....Was Mohammed (PBUH) the only messenger who fight the pagans or the polytheist?**

Moses, David, solemn...prophets fight the polytheist in the old testament.

✓ **David**: 2Samuel 4:12

¹² David then issued orders to his soldiers. They killed the two—chopped off their hands and feet, and hung the corpses at the pool in Hebron. But Ish-Bosheth's head they took and buried in Abner's tomb in Hebron.

✓ **Moses**: Numbers 25:4 The LORD said to Moses, "Take all the leaders of these people, kill them and expose them in broad daylight before the LORD, so that the LORD's fierce anger may turn away from Israel."

✓ **Finally, Jesus himself said**: Luke 19:27 But those enemies of mine who did not want me to be king over them--bring them h and kill them in front of me."

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○ But the main difference between Islam and any other Religion is this two verses :

- **In old testament**:

- **Hosea 13:16** Now Samaria has to face the charges

because she has rebelled against her God:

Her people will be killed, babies smashed on the rocks, pregnant women ripped open."

- Whereas prophet **Mohammed said**:

"Go in Allah's name, trusting in Allah, and adhering to the religion of Allah's Apostle. Do not kill a decrepit old man, o a young infant, or a child, or a woman; do not be dishonest about booty, but collect your spoils, do right and act well, for Allah loves those who do well."

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E-EXPLAIN: “WOMAN MUST BE OBEDIENT TO HER HUSBAND” ...

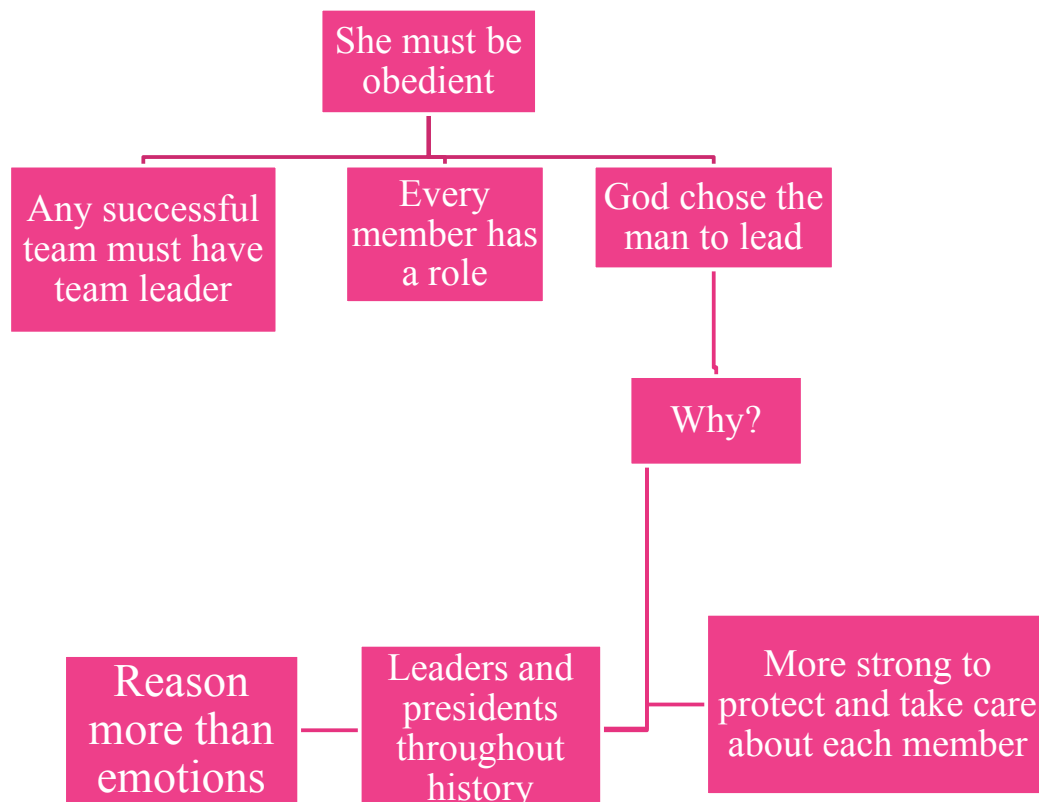
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- 1- You want her to be disobedient? ☺
- Have you ever see a **team** without team leader?? Any successful team must have a leader who consults and thinks with all the members of the team and all the members must be obedient to him. I think to be obedient to the team leader that is not something degrading, instead , it is something respectful.
- God has created the spouses in the marriage as a team where the relationship is built on emotion and affection... and He determined the role of every member in this team in order to preserve this great relationship...He commanded the man to be the responsible about every member...and protect them and feed them and the woman to help him and take care of the children.
- This cooperation **Must** have a “ leader ”...that is something logic...
- ✓ God the “All-Knowing” has chosen the **man** to lead this cooperation...

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❑ **Non-Muslim: Why He chose the man to lead the family?**

- ✓ **Muslim:** don't you think this is something natural ?
 - ✓ Throughout history, the vast majority of the leaders , presidents, scientists, philosophers were men or women?
 - ✓ Who is much stronger to protect the family and to be responsible about its member ?
 - ✓ Who use reason more than emotions?
- ❑ In Islam, It is preferable to the man to consult his wife...and we have the example when the prophet Mohammed consult his wife (Om Salamah).



E-WOMAN IS MAN'S FIRM

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- 2- the woman is the man's firm...
- This is the most beautiful example of the relation between two partner. like a farmer and his field , because finally these two members a great fruit after a hard work.
- God said this verse in the Quran to prevent the man to make sexual intercourse with the woman from behind... because it is not the place of reproduction...
- So God forbid the man to use the woman as a commodity to just satisfy her desires...rather she is his firm to produce a good fruit to the world... so I think it is something respectful for the woman.

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**E-MUHAMMAD HAS COPIED A LARGE
PART OF THE OLD TESTAMENT ...THEN
SAID JESUS DIDN'T DIE**

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- Well, If he pretends that he is a prophet and he has actually copied the Quran from the Jews why he didn't claim that Jesus is a liar as they said???
- Why he didn't claim that Mary is prostitute as they said??
- Why did he claim that Jesus is the one of the five greatest prophet of God? And his Mother is one of the greatest women in the history?
- Why did he claim that Jesus will come back before the hereafter?? Why didn't he claim that for himself ?
- ISLAM IS THE ONLY NON-CHRISTIAN RELIGION ON THIS EARTH WHO BELIEVE IN JESUS
- Mohammed PBUH could simply said "Jesus was and liar" to gain the advocacy of the Jews who live among the Arabs, but he didn't.....he said the truth about Jesus....as he told about himself in the bible " just messenger of God"

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E-WHEN MOHAMMAD SMASHED 360 IDOLS IN KAABAH WHEN HE CONQUERED MECCA, DIDN'T HE "OFFEND" THE PAGAN WORSHIPERS OF THOSE IDOLS?

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- The Kaaba at first was a place for worshiping God or worshiping Idols?

Of course for worshiping God since the polytheists themselves admitted that there is a God but these Idols are something materialistic to make them closer to God, so the Kaaba was the place for worshiping God alone.

- So when you return every thing to it's right place you are not a bad person of course.
- For example: if some pagans enter a church and they put their idols beside the cross and they keep worship their idols....then after many years the Christians expel those pagans out of the church .. do you see that offending ☺ ?
- 2- **Besides** Mohammed didn't kill people of Mecca, they told them they are free despite of what they did to him ! So he gave them the free of choice, so was not offending, he was a prophet of God who correct a wrong situation and clean the holy house.

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- He says: "Actually, there's no evidence that Abraham built the Kaabah".
- John, if all the Arabs across the Arab peninsula, Muslims and pagans agreed together that their father “Abraham” has built the Kabaa... so I think you are the one who are asked to bring the evidence on your claim not me.